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## FORTY THOUSAND DOLLAR DAMAGE BY STORM AT WILSON, N. C., TODAY

### At Least 1 Person Killed And 15 Injured, With Large Property Loss

(By Associated Press.)  
WILSON, N. C., March 7.—One person killed, fifteen injured and property damage estimated at forty thousand dollars result of a windstorm sweeping the Evansdale section. The storm area is a half mile wide and extended for three miles, demolishing buildings. The injured have been brought here.

### Later By Telephone From Wilson.

By a telephone communication with the Wilson Times it was learned that one person, Ersula Falke (colored) wife of Hiram Falke, negro barber, and a school teacher, was killed, and numbers of others injured.

Ten houses were destroyed completely. In several of the houses there were a number of people ill with flu and these were literally blown out into the fields, later picked up and taken to the Wilson hospitals.

The storm is reported as covering an area a half mile wide and extending for three miles. The Times reports that the property damage is estimated at forty to fifty thousand dollars, though not fully determined.

### WOMAN REPRESENTATIVE SAYS SHE WAS URGED BY MAN TO RUN FOR CONGRESS FROM OKLAHOMA

Kansas City, March 7.—Miss Alice Robertson, representative in Congress from Oklahoma, speaking at a rally of Republican women, declared that when she was first approached to run for Congress she didn't think she was capable of running for dog catcher and that the man was so insistent that if the same tactics had been used in the matter of changing her name she would not be an old maid now.

### REPUBLICANS AGREE ON BONUS BILL AND REPORT TODAY

Washington, March 7.—A final agreement on the compromise bonus bill has been reached by the House Ways and Means republicans, and Chairman Fordney has been authorized to report the bill to the House today.

### BUSINESS MAN APPEALS FOR MERCY THROUGH AN ADVERTISEMENT

(By Associated Press.)  
Tampa, Fla., March 7.—John Sutton, a business man, whose home has been ransacked four times recently, inserted an advertisement in the newspapers asking the marauders to please pass him by for awhile as he was nearly broke as a result of their activities.

### ARBUCKLE'S WITNESSES ARE INDICTED FOR PERJURY

(By Associated Press.)  
San Francisco, March 7.—Mrs. Marie Neighbors, Los Angeles, and Mrs. Frances S. Batts, Chicago, defendant's witnesses in the trials of Roscoe "Fatty" Arbuckle, were indicted on perjury charges by the country grand jury.

### LEON TROTZKY HAS LAUNCHED CAMPAIGN TO MAKE RUSSIA CLEAN

Moscow, March 7.—Leon Trotzky, the Soviet War Minister, has launched a campaign to make Russia clean. He intends to do this through the Red Army.

It is his chief and most cherished desire to convert 100,000,000 people to his slogan: "Cleanliness is health and with health the world may be moved." Trotzky has banished grease and dirt, beards and long hair, shabby and ill-fitting clothes from the Red army and now he wants to pass on the benefits of cleanliness to the entire population. Personally, he gives the Russians a splendid example.

Trotzky's own clothes are a model of simplicity and neatness. He wears no insignia to show he is the commander-in-chief of the army. His jacket is of gray green army cloth, with a military air given by a closely buttoned, roll-down collar and military pockets. His trousers are tucked into a pair of lace half-boots. A square, medium-sized man, his large head and broad forehead would attract attention of the observing in many places but his clean appearance is notable in Russia where living conditions have long conducted to neglect of one's appearance.

Trotzky claims that despite great strain of work he has been under for four years, his health has improved. He certainly has improved in control of his nerves. He no longer gets excited. Also, he has become a first-rate public speaker.

Bolshevik leaders have to do their work at night, sleep when they can and make stump speeches to a vast number of people who cannot read and who he taught only by speeches. Instead of breaking down, Trotzky often speaks twice a day. He goes through setting-up exercises twice a day, walks or rides in an open automobile when he has the opportunity, gets regular sleep and never worries.

Trotzky is very keen at picking up points in conversation, to controvert arguments advanced but so quick as to be almost quackish. "He argues like a country lawyer," was the opinion expressed by some European journalists recently, after interviewing him.

### The "Bonus" or Adjusted Compensation Bill

#### A Digest of Its Provisions And Its History

The adjusted compensation bill, that man who had \$350 coming to him in has been before Congress since March cash could go to school for 392 days, 1920, offers five choices to the veteran being paid \$1.225 a day during that period.

1. Adjusted pay, at the rate of \$1 for every day of home service and due him, which is 140 per cent of the \$1.25 for every day of foreign service. The same man could apply the \$490 cash \$350, toward purchase of an approved farm or city or suburban home. Maximum payment, \$500 for home service and \$625 for overseas service. The money also could be applied to ward payments on a farm or home already purchased, or to pay for improvements.

2. Adjusted service certificate in the form of a paid up 20-year endowment policy, to the value of 3.38 times the amount that would be received in cash. The face value of the policy would be paid to the veteran at the end of 20 years, or, if he dies in the interval, to his beneficiary. Loan values are provided.

3. Vocational training aid of \$1.25 a day while taking an education course. The amount thus paid is not to exceed 140 per cent the amount due in cash.

4. Farm or home aid, to the extent of 140 per cent the amount due in cash.

5. Land settlement.

Any man or woman who served in the armed forces of the United States at any time between the dates of April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918, is eligible for compensation.

This bill was introduced into the House of Representatives by Joseph W. Fordney of Michigan, and into the Senate by Senator Porter J. McCumber of North Dakota. It is an adaptation, with few changes, of the bill drafted by Legion representatives in March, 1920, at a conference in Washington. The aim of the Legion conference was to make the bill broad enough to give every man the kind of compensation he could use; also to stress other options besides cash, so that the payment of compensation might be as productive as possible for the benefit of the country at large.

The cash feature was provided for the benefit of men who would be unable to avail themselves of any of the other four features. Opponents of the bill have concentrated attack on this feature, forgetting the other four options. But the Legion men who presented the bill to Congress and members of that body who heard them, were convinced of the unfairness of refusing any compensation to a man simply because he was unable to avail himself of one of the four more productive options.

The insurance feature of the bill originated in the Senate and is considered by many to be the most valuable and most likely to appeal to the average veteran. Any man who is not actually in want will make every effort to avail himself of this offer. If he served 100 days in this country and 200 days in this country and 200 days in France, his cash compensation would be \$350. But he could waive cash and get an endowment policy of a value of \$1,183.

More than a hundred thousand disabled men have availed themselves of the vocational training offer by the government, seeing in it a chance to better their condition in life. The educational feature of the compensation bill is expected to appeal to thousands of veterans who are not physically disabled. They will be given tuition at accredited schools and will be paid \$1.25 a day while studying, until they have received 150 per cent of the amount due them in cash. The

### Two South Carolina Towns Are Wiped Out By a Storm Today

#### Six Known Dead and Scores Injured as Result of High Winds and The Flooded Streams

### Top Prices For Tar Heel Swine

COTLAND NECK FARMER GETS BEST QUOTATION ON RICHMOND MARKET

By W. W. SHAY

Raleigh, March 7.—In the quotations on hog prices, the Baltimore and Richmond markets, as a result of their experience with peanut fed scrubs of southern origin usually follow their figures for real hogs something like "Southern hogs run 1c to 2c less," or "Only hogs three cents less." A little light is thrown on the question that has sometimes been raised as to whether this difference was really due to lack of quality, or, as some were inclined to believe, to an unjust sectional discrimination.

On January 3rd, Halifax Farms, Inc., Scotland Neck, weighed out of their peanut fields, 43 head of pure bred Duroc-Jersey hogs of July farrow. At that time they weighed 6,570 pounds, and, as the price of oily peanut fed hogs was then 5 cent, these 43 head, which averaged 153 pounds were worth \$328.50.

They were put on a feed of corn and tankage and again weighed fifty-one days later, February 23rd, when they weighed 9,718 pounds, an average of 226 pounds.

On Tuesday, February 28th, they were shipped to Richmond, Va., being accompanied by Mr. T. D. Temple, manager of the farm, and Mr. V. M. Lewis, of the Division of Markets.

On March 1st the following telegram was received by the Office of Swine Extension:

"Mr. W. W. Shay: Topped market on hogs today at eleven and three-quarters."

(Signed) "Lewis & Temple."

Now, as yet we have not the net Richmond weight of these hogs, but assuming that gains made between February 23rd, the last weight we have at hand, and their arrival at Richmond will take care of shrinkage, and further, assuming that they all chilled hard, we have the following to consider:

Feb. 28, 9,718 lbs. @ \$11.75—\$1,141.86  
Jan. 3, 6,570 lbs. @ \$5.00—\$328.50  
Gain, 3,148; advance, \$6.75; increase, \$813.36; an increase in value in 51 days of 248 per cent.

These demonstrations under actual farm conditions are being conducted in different parts of the State by the office of swine extension in co-operation with the county agents and wide-awake farmers.

As a matter of fact, this is the second shipment made by Mr. Temple, he having sold a bunch July 29 that averaged 204 pounds at \$12.25 per hundred. A complete record of all feed used is kept.

The hogs sold July 29 ate \$7.72 worth of feed for each 100 pounds gain.

In spite of the above excellent record made by a real feeder, it is still possible to starve hogs to a cost of 20c per pound gain, and perhaps the next man you ask about it will tell

(By Associated Press.)  
AUGUSTA, Ga., March 7.—Langley and Warrenville, small South Carolina towns, are reported wiped out by a storm which swept the section today. Several persons are reported to have been killed. Wire communication has been cut off.

WARRENTON, Ga., March 7.—Warrenton is also reported a storm sufferer, as well as a portion of Augusta. The Aiken railway is reported as damaged and the General Manager has been informed that a number of houses have been blown down in the vicinity of Warrenton and Langley and several persons killed. Linemen send in report that nine have been killed, with many houses destroyed and plans are being made to rush injured to Aiken and Augusta hospitals.

AUGUSTA, GA., March 7.—Six are known dead and scores are injured as a result of high winds, and flooded streams in this section of Georgia and South Carolina. Langley, Stileton, Granitville and Warrenville, S. C., were struck by a tornado at day break. Houses were swept away, trees uprooted and telegraph poles felled leaving the section in darkness and without communication.

The brunt of the storm hit Warrenville and Stileton, where six are reported dead. They are Fred Hoover, twelve, Mrs. L. Munday, forty, Mrs. Belle Boyd, thirty-five, Dorothy Wood eight, Wood boy, fourteen. The mother of the Wood children is expected to die.

The storm scattered parts of buildings and furniture over the fields. Eleven houses were razed at Warrenville, four at Stileton. Direct roads and bridges reported washed out. Train service to Milledgeville, Ga. suspended.

### LLOYD GEORGE HAS ONLY DEFERRED RESIGNATION

(By Associated Press.)  
London, March 7.—Premier Lloyd George has deferred his resignation with giving his colleagues any pledge as to future action regarding the Premiership according to reliable information reaching the Associated Press. It is believed that he will retain the leadership until the Irish legislation is completed and possibly until the Genoa Conference.

### COTTON MARKET TODAY'S MARKET

March	18.15
May	17.91
July	17.23
October	16.63
December	16.59

### YESTERDAY'S MARKET

March	18.21
May	17.94
July	17.28
October	16.51
December	16.57

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